

FEDERAL LAWYERS TO DECIDE COURSE WITHIN FEW DAYS

Department of Justice to
Continue Probe Into
Dynamite Cases.

In a day or two the Department of Justice will decide upon the course of the Government as a result of the McNamara confessions and the certainty that dynamite has been carried in interstate commerce in violation of the law.

United States District Attorney McCormick, of Los Angeles, reached Washington last night, and at once went into conference with Attorney General Wickham.

It is practically certain, however, that the Attorney General is convinced that another investigation should be started at Los Angeles similar to that now in progress at Indianapolis.

There are on record at the Department of Justice fully 100 cases of dynamiting, and in each one of them, it is believed by the Federal officials, the explosives were carried in violation of the law.

It is hard to learn just how far the inquiry of the Department of Justice has gone or how far it will go. That it will involve some persons of prominence is broadly hinted at here today.

From the bits of gossip which the Department of Justice officials let fall, it is known that they are working on the theory that a gigantic conspiracy has existed for dynamiting and generally intimidating the enemies of unionism.

That is indicated, they say, by the fact that explosions have occurred with systematic frequency in various parts of the country, and have occurred under practically the same auspices in each instance. All the evidence now available tends to the conclusion that these cases have a common origin, and that when the time comes some astounding facts will be developed.

Eckhoff, Star Witness In McNamara Trailing, Spent Day With Family

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 3.—It developed today that Frank Eckhoff, the "star" witness in the McNamara-Los Angeles Times case, who was found here several weeks ago through the work of Lew Bell and Joe Schaefer, city detectives and two representatives here of the Burns Detective Agency, who mysteriously vanished, was in Cincinnati last night.

Eckhoff arrived here with two Burns detectives, ate dinner with his wife and his brother and sister, played with his baby and spent some time at the home of his brother and sister, 409 Runnymede avenue. Where he came from the police would not divulge. He disappeared again and to what place he went the police do not know. Eckhoff would not tell them where he was going. It is said that he asked out today that he spent all of Friday night in the grand hotel and none of the attaches knew the right name of the guest.

It is stated today upon police authority that the evidence gathered here by Cincinnati city detectives not only caused the McNamaras to confess but will cause the home city of the McNamaras to be the future center of the Federal probe in the case.

GOVERNORS ASSERT LABOR WILL PROFIT

State Executives, on Way Here, Declare McNamara Confessions Will Pave Way to New Era in Progress of Organized Labor.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 3.—The governors of Western States who are touring the cities of the East in a special train, and who are spending Sunday in this city, have been polled as to their opinions on the result of the confession of the McNamaras. Eight of the executives were questioned, and they united in expressing their belief that the confession would have many beneficial results. It was pointed out that the way had been opened for a better understanding between capital and labor; that union men who believed the McNamaras were being persecuted had had their eyes opened to the real facts; that the unions were now given the opportunity of purging their ranks of those elements which had injured them in the eyes of society at large, and that they would now be impressed with the necessity of paying more attention to the selection of their officers.

No one of these governors seems to think that the labor union cause has been irreparably injured.

Governor West of Oregon.

"Had the McNamaras not confessed and the trial gone on, no matter what the outcome, it would have greatly widened the breach between capital and labor, for organized labor believed firmly in the innocence of these men as certain organizations of capital believed in their guilt, and would have looked on their prosecution simply as persecution.

"While there may be members of labor organizations who approve of such outrageous acts as the McNamaras committed, I know that organized labor as a body condemns such acts. Since these men were guilty, it was well for all concerned that they confessed their guilt. It will in the end redound to the benefit of organized labor, for it will lead to the elimination of such men from its ranks. The labor union has done and can do much good for the laboring classes. In order to do this, however, it must retain the confidence of society, and to have this it must keep its hands clean. This can only be done by getting rid of all the McNamaras within its ranks."

Governor Norris of Nebraska.

"The confessions of the McNamara brothers will not, and in common fairness should not, affect men or organizations not shown to be connected with or having a guilty knowledge of the commission of the crimes of which they have acknowledged guilt."

Governor Eberhart of Minnesota.

"It will have a beneficial influence. It will have a tendency to make unions more careful in the selection of officials and to avoid the support of those who have betrayed their trust."

"This will be beneficial to both the unions and the people in general."

Governor Burke of North Dakota.

"Their plea, of course, makes their guilt conclusive, and it is much more satisfactory than conviction on trial. Their best friends now have no cause for complaint, and the prosecution could not accomplish more by a long and expensive trial. It will not affect labor organizations unless they are connected with the crimes for which their pleas were made."

Governor Carey of Wyoming.

"Labor unions, I believe, are necessary. It is the adventurer and the men

who live out of labor organizations that bring the unions into disfavor. Many of these belonging to the unions honestly believed the McNamaras were innocent of the offenses to which they confessed. I believe the tendency of the unions will be hereafter to repudiate such men as the McNamaras. This in the end will do much to strengthen the unions and elevate union labor in the estimate of employers and the public in general."

Governor Vessey of South Dakota.

"We believe it the greatest victory in the interest of justice that has been won for years. And the dawn of a brighter day is at hand when such outrages shall come to an end."

Governor Hawley of Idaho.

"The members of labor unions will conclude, in my judgment, that it is their duty to withhold judgment when a crime is charged against one of their members and, instead of rushing blindly to the defense, investigate carefully on their own accounts."

Former Governor Brady of Idaho.

"Their confession of guilt will relieve the situation and cause the criminal element back of them to come from under cover. It will stop criminal acts of this kind in the future. The element in union labor that stood for good will never again risk judgment on a man charged with crime until a jury of his peers passes on his case. The effect on union labor will be beneficial and far-reaching, as this confession will be the cause of separating the chaff from the straw."

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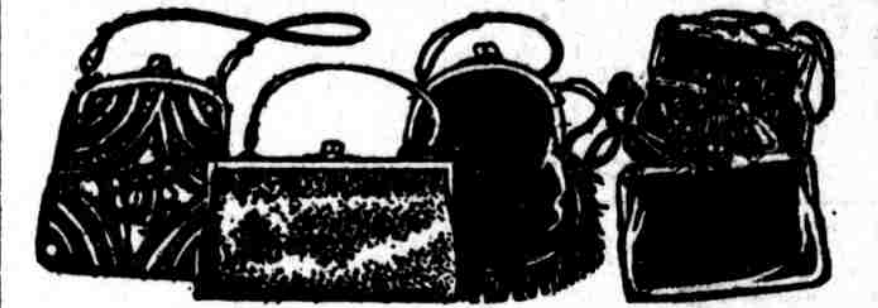
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